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1. Both men were builders - vss. 24 & 26

* Both heard Jesus' message and both built a house. 'House' represents our lives and how we respond to His message.

2. Both men heard Jesus' words - vs. 24

* They were in the place to hear Jesus' words. Our body is sometimes present in God's house, yet not at a place where we can really hear what God says and respond positively--when we take our eyes off Jesus, we cannot hear what Jesus says and we listen to the world and self. Be where God can speak to you.

3. Only one obeyed - vs. 24

* '...heareth...and doeth'---he heard and obeyed--James 1:22-25

4. Both faced storms - vss. 25 & 27

- Rain descended---came from above, from a place higher than them--nothing happens in my life that God has not allowed--Rain could represent afflictions in our lives--how we deal with afflictions shows what our life is built on--
- Floods came--represents when 'life gets too much' --- feel like we are 'drowning'--- Psalm 42:3,5,6 'little things' add up until we feel overwhelmed---
- Winds blew--force you can't see coming yet we feel it--tries to knock you down Psalm 56:3,4,9-11 Trust and praise as He leads us through--

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